ITALIANS RECOVER MORE LOST GROUND

Line From Parmesan to Rio Romini Held Despite Counter Attack.

Valley. The Austrians immediately attempted to recapture the ground lost, but Germans again bombarded the Chattan-

infantry a tion is reported, but there has follows: been very violent artillery fighting, particularly on the Posina-Astico line.
The official statement issued by the Italian War Office to-night follows:

Between the Adige and the Brenta there were intense artillery actions. Progress was made in our advance in spite of obstinate enemy resistance. In the Lagarina Valley, by a brilliant attack after artillery preparation, we carried the strongly fortified line from Parmesan, east of the Cima Mezzana, to Rio Romini. The enemy immediately launched violent counter attacks, but was always repulsed.

Along the Posina-Astico front there was an intense bombardment by both sides. Enemy infantry which suc-ceeded in pen-trating Molisini was driven out by our fire, pursued and dispersed.
On the Asiago plateau the situation

is unchanged.

In the Sugana Valley on the night
of June 12 and the following morning enemy detachments attempting to dvance east of the Maso torrent were

advance east of the maso torrent were repulsed with very wavy losses. In the Carnic zone and on the Isonzo there were the usual artillery activity and infantry raids. An attempted attack in the Monfalcone zone

The official statement issued by the Austrian War Office to-day regarding the operations on the Italian front fol-

On the front between the Etsch (Adige) and the Brenta and in the Delomites artillery battles were lively.

it several points there were fruitless Italian attacks. On Monday morning three enemy torpedo boats penetrated the harbor of Parenzo (on the coast of Istria, northwest of Pola). They were driven off by our batteries and aeroplanes. Only a wall and a roof were slightly damaged. Nobody was wounded. Our batteries and aeroplanes scored hits.

AIR RAID ON VENICE.

Austrian Scaplanes.

Bertin, via London, June 13.—In an ir raid in Italy the arsenal at Venice has bembarded by aeroplanes, accord-ng to an official Austrian statement.

A squadron of naval aircraft on the night of June 11-12 bombarded ex-tensively and with visible success the railroad tracks between Mestre and San Dona di Piave and the railroad station at Mestre. They obtained several full hits on a locomotive shed. The arsenal at Venice was also bombarded. Notwithstanding a heavy fire directed at them the aeroplanes re-

Mestre is about five miles northwest of

Landing to Act Promptly in Event of Arrests in Ireland.

Washington. June 13.—In response to the Kern resolution passed during the early days of the recent Irish revolution in Dublin the State Department to-day informed the Senate that it stands ready to act promptly for the protection of the lives and property of Americans in the disturbed sections.

"It appears," said Secretary Lansing in his reply to the resolution, "that the disturbances in Ireland have largely if not entirely ceased and that the excitement growing out of such disturbances has greatly subsided and it is hoped that there may be few, if any, further arrests or detentions of American cititens for alleged complicity therein."

The discovery was made by a Federal pension again and busy as federal pension examiner who, in running down the facts concerning the supposed Andies of the supposed Andies of the one in the supposed Andies of the care generation of officers of the law had falled to find any trace of him.

It was learned that in all the years Weir was a fugitive he never had been work have been turned over to Mr. Halls that the dehapest man in the world has arrived," the time of his flight declared he had gone to California. The indictment follows the first of the discovery was made by a Federal pension examiner who, in running down the facts concerning the supposed Andies of the city of the protection of the long with the facts concerning the supposed Andies of the supposed Andies of the discovery was made by a Federal pension examiner who, in running down the facts concerning the supposed Andies of the pension examiner who, in running down the facts concerning the supposed Andies of the

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Russians Capture Turkish Camp.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

Petrograp, via London, June 13.—The
Russian War Office to-night issued the
following statement concerning the oper
Stions in the Caucasus:

In the direction of Diarbekir we

The death of Gen. Weir was only one chapter in the long Weir family tragedy. At the outbreak of the civil war James Weir, then a mere boy, enlisted in the Union army, but his father, through political influence with Senator Wade and Congressman John A. Bingham, obtained his release. Later he enlisted him to the pension he is drawing.

After the war he obtained a Federal position, but returned home when he

In the direction of Diarbekir we Surprised and captured an enemy camp. The enemy suffered losses and sed.

A Turkish attack in the region of Revanbouze was repulsed.

Greek Ship Bound for U. S. Held. Toulon, France, June 13.—Among the Greek ships held up here as a result of the restrictive measures which have jury disagreed. July 4, 1881, the second ers had to go. been applied against Greece by the Al-lies is the freight steamship Antonios lies is the freight steamship Antonion M. Mavrogordatos, bound for America.

Peace Prize Sought for Alfonso. MADRID, June 13. -A movement tarted here will put forward King Al-oneo as a candidate for the 1916 Nobel

GOOD TANBARK YEAR

Industry Will Be Brisk on Account

of Advance in Prices Oil, City, Pa., June 13.—Great activity

In the bark peeling industry in McKean, Warren, Forest and Elk counties, Pennsylvania, is expected to commence within the next two weeks, the force of men already under contract in the territory mentioned being estimated at from 1,200 to 1,509.

mentioned being estimated at from 1,200 to 1,500.

It is said by men well informed that more bark will be cut this year than ever known before. This is due to the flourishing condition of the leather industry due to the European war. In Warren county the Central Pennsylvania Lumber Company will peel 25,000 cords, while in Elk and Forest counties like amounts will be cut. In the vicinity of Port Allegany and Betula, McKean county, 25,000 cords will be cut, which will be used by the Elk Tanning Company, which operates about twenty tanneries in this section.

The price of hemlock bark has advanced \$2,50 a cord since last year. At that time the leather manufacturers were paying \$10,50 a cord, while the price being offered to-day is \$13 a cord. Twenty years ago hemlock bark sold at \$4 a cord, and the trees were chopped down only for the bark, as in most cases the trees were left in the woods to rot instead of being hauled to the sawmills. This year's cutting, it is estimated, will amount to at least 100,000 cords, with a yalue of more than \$1,000,000.

GERMANS GAIN THIAUMONT TRENCHES IN NIGHT DRIVE

French Admit Penetration of Advanced Positions on Hill 321-Attacks at Other Points by Teutons Reported to Have Failed.

Special Cable Desputch to THE SUN. PARENZO TORPEDO RAID

Special Cable Despatch to The Stn.

Parts, June 13.—The German attacks against the Thiaumont farm sector, which went on throughout yesterday without success, were continued last night. The attacking troops finally gained a foothold in advanced French. offensive against Austria recovered yes- gained a foothold in advanced French terday the strongly fortified line from parmesan to Rio Romini in the sector of the Cima Mezzana, in the Lagarina Prince were repulsed.

on the rest of the Italian front little on the rest of the Italian front little on the rest of the Italian front little. The afternoon communique was as

has been a bombardment in the region of Chattarcourt. On the right bank the Germans yesterday evening renewed their attacks along the entire sector to the west of the Thiaumont farm, and penetrated some of the advanced trenches of our line along the vanced trenches of our line along the slopes of the east side of Hill 321. Everywhere else the German at-tacks were repulsed under the French

fire. The night passed in relative quiet elsewhere on the front. Only intermittent bombardments of sides of the Meuse are reported

The official communique issued by th French War Office to-night follows: North of Verdun no infantry action was reported in the course of the day There was an intermittent bombard-ment east and west of the Meuse. The day was calm on the rest of

CANADIAN ATTACK WINS.

Positions on 1,500 Yard Front Zillebeke Retaken.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SEN. tempted attack in the Monfalcone zone was promptly checked by our fire.

The Austrian War Office mentions enty Italian attacks on this front and says these were repulsed.

Three Italian torpedo boats, it says, entered the harbor of Parenzo, northwest of Pola, but were driven off by the shore batteries and aeroplanes.

The official statement issued by the

As soon as the Canadians had entered their old trenches and had begun the work of reorganization the German artillery opened a terrific bombardment, whichw as continued for several hours while the British artillery replied. A German counter attack falled under the British gunfire.

This morning's success in the region of Zillebeke restores the line in this sector to its position on June 1, when the German artillery opened a pro-tracted and exceptionally heavy bom-bardment of the Canadian positions. The following day the German infantry at-tacked on a front of 3,000 yards be-tween Hooge and the Ypres-Comines canal, which runs just to the south of the Sanctuary wood, and took positions, on a part of this front to a depth of

FUGITIVE 35 YEARS

IN SOLDIERS' HOME

Nationwide Search Made for

Man Who Never Left

Native State.

St. CLAIRSVILLE, Ohio, June 13 .- The

while an indictment charging him with

name of John Anderson.

1700 yards in the direction of Zillebeke

The official report was as follows: This morning the Canadians made a gallant and successful assault south-east of Zillebeke. Their objective was our old position in the neighborhood, all of which they captured on the front attacked, extending from the southern portion of Sanctuary wood to a point 1,000 yards north of Hill 60, a total front of over 1,500 yards. In the course of the attack heavy losses were inflicted on the enemy and three

officers and 123 men were taken Our troops were subjected to a severe shelling for several hours after gaining the position, but were well supported by our aftillery and retain the ground gained, which is being con-solidated. Heavy bombardments by the enemy continued during the day. Our artillery replied effectively. An attempt at a counter attack by hostile infantry was frustrated by our artil-

Last night our troops carried out successful raids northeast of Ypres and south of the Bois Grenier. At the latter place a party of Australians entered the enemy's trenches, causing him the loss of twelve killed, and probably others, and capturing six prisoners. Two trench mortars were destroyed. The raiding party returned safely, their only casualties one officer and one man, both slightly wounded. On the remainder of the front there

is nothing important to report. The enemy put 300 shells into Haricourt during the day and our artillery bombarded hostile positions about La Boisselle. There was less shelling than usual around Souchez and on the

is still in progress.

The official statement issued by the German War Office follows:

Local British attacks against a sec-Local British attacks against a sec-tion of our new positions on the heights southeast of Ypres have been in progress since this morning. On the right bank of the Meuse (Verdun front) we pushed further forward our lines on both sides of the

trial was begun. James Weir and his father quarrelled the following day and a blow was struck. The older man died soon afterward, whether from the blow or from striking his head in falling is

HALF NICKELS FOR SLOTS.

valley of the missing gave up one of its mysteries when James Weir, who disappeared from here thirty-five years ago

'Cheapest Man in the World'

'Splits Coins in Indiana

the murder of his father was hanging your pockets and your purses and learn gion are reported in the official Turkish over him, was found living in the Daywhether you have whole nickels or statement issued to-day. The statement is as follows: out by Thomas Halls, of the secret ser-vice, "the cheapest man in the world has settled in Indianapolis" and is busy The discovery was made by a Federal

Rather Than Discard Religious

Garba Teachers Resign. LANCASTER, Pa., June 13 .- After th election of teachers for Rapho township for next season the teachers were called before the school board and notified that

fusing to discard religious garb. A prominent patriotic order took the cas through the courts and the garbed teach-

After the war he obtained a Federal position, but returned home when he learned that on Christmas Day, 7880. his brother George had shot and killed Sterling Riggs, member of a band of daring young men led by George Weir. The shooting resulted from a rumor that Riggs was about to give the authorities information concerning the activities of the band.

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LAST HONORS PAID **ALLIES PREPARE FOR** TO LORD KITCHENER 'FRUITS OF VICTORY'

Paris To-day to Isolate

Central Powers.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

Japan, Belgium, Serbia and Portugal.

German invasions, the regulation of in

Three Memorial Services Are Economic Conference Opens in Held in London-King at St. Paul's.

LONDON, June 13 .- Impressive memorial services for Earl Kitchener were held to-day in St. Paul's Cathedral, which was crowded to the doors with civilians and soldiers, from young recruits to grizzled veterans of India and victory. It will embrace a discussion ruits to grizzled veterans of India and

Abbey and the other in Canterbury Cathedral.

branch of public and private life was well represented at the ceremony.

For blocks around St. Paul's Cathedral people gathered and stood for hours

Central Powers economically, minor conthe rain to see those invited, in-siderations, such as means of making cluding the royal family, enter the build-ing. The doors were opened at 10 of war indemnities on account of the German invasions, the regulation of inclock and very soon after that hour o'clock and very soon after that hour the cathedral was filled, fully 3,000 people, including very many of the most distinguished and prominent in Great Britain, gaining admission.

German invasions, the regulation of indemnities for destroyed shipping, an understanding relative to lost, stolen or destroyed securities, and the reduction of postal, telegraphic and telephone tolls among the Allies during and after the

King George, Queen Mary and Queen Mother Alexandra, who entered by the west door, were escorted down the centre aisle to their seats by the

by the west door, were escorted down the centre aisle to their seats by the Dean and Chapter of St. Paul's.

The ceremony was conducted by the Dean. The first number was the hymn "Abide With Me." "Out of the Deep I Have Called Unto Thee, O Lord" and "The Lord Is My Shepherd" followed.

The great band of the Royal Engineers, together with drummers of the Irish Guards, played the "Dead March."

The ambition of the Allies seems to the the Central Empires of the Central Empires of

of the Admiralty; Sir Edward Grey, British Foreign Minister; Earl Curzon British Foreign Minister; Earl Curson of Kedleston, Lord Privy Seal; Lewis Harcourt, First Commissioner of Works; Viscount Haldane, Winston Churchill. Field Marshal Sir John French, Gen. Sir William Robertson. Chief of the Imperial Staff; the Duke of Devonshire and the Earl of Rosebery.

The American Embassy was well represented, by Ambassador and Mrs. Page, Irwin B. Laughlin, secretary of the embassy, and Mrs. Laughlin; Commander Powers Symington, naval attache, and Capt. Alexander M. Miller, military attache.

not known.

The Grand Jury returned an indictment against the son, who fled in the night and became a wanderer. From here, it is said, Weir went to Cincinnati, later to Columbus and then to Conneaut. From there he went to Dayton and entered the soldiers' home under the assumed name.

TURKS GAIN IN CAUCASUS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, via London, June 13.

In the course of the fighting on the

In the course of the fighting on the right and left wings in the Caucasus we captured a number of prisoners and a great quantity of field telephones and trench implements.

The battle referred to in yesterday's communique, which resulted in the annihilation of a Russian cavalry force of 1,000 men, occurred near the river, south of Tcheulemreck and east of the village of Amachien.

village of Amachien. Five hostile aeroplanes dropped about fifty bombs on Smyrna yester-day and killed some men, women and children and destroyed some houses.

M. P. SOARS WITH U. S. AVIATOR.

Noel Pemberton Billing Praises Work of American Aero Corps.

Special Cable Despatch to THE BUN. PARIS, June 13 .- A. C. Lane, correspondent of THE SUN with the Franco-

for next season the part of the school board and notified that the State law probibiting teachers wearing any religious garb would be enforced, nor could any emblem of secret orders be a worn. Some of the teachers belonging to the so-called plain churches resigned.

Some years ago a storm was created Some years ago a storm was created with the American aviators later he wore thick woollen socks instead of shoes.

It is significant that the British dele-

or the empire.

Recent conservative French utterances, notably those of M. David-Mennet, president of the Paris Chamber of Commerce, frankly betray anxiety lest France be ranked after the British col-onies in English trade favor. The ad-vice is given "to a section of British opinion which apparently is being misled toward protectionism" that it is to toward protectionism" that it is to Great Britain's own advantage as a re-WHOLE CITY MOURNS PROBLEM A VEXED ONE Great Britain's own advantage as a re-exporter of her French imports that the present equality persists.

Russia Also Is Worried.

Egypt.

All London was in mourning and flags were at half mast on all buildings. Two were at half mast on all buildings were held for sumed that her military forces will have been the complicated work of many suggested means of preventing cause that the conference go slow including to urge that the conference go slow including the cause the interests involved are so vas and so various. It is realized that the framing of the linal treaty schedule will be the complicated work of many months. the great soldier, one in Westminster
Abbey and the other in Canterbury
Cathedral.

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the strongest affirmation since the beginning of the war of the absolute con The programme includes, besides the ginning of the war of the absolute confidence in victory as well as of the treaty mendous forces binding the Allies in a ndissoluble bond. For it is the Centra Empires' chief end to impose sim unfavorable treaties upon the Allies.

HELD IN GERMANY AS SPY.

land-America steamship Ryndam, after terday, spending several months in a hospital in According to the plan the American

The Russian Government will receive laws against trading with the enemy, the coordination of regulations prohibit-

Germans Announce Advances on Both Sides of Ridge.

Beanth, via London, June 13.—A further advance on both sides of the ridge running southwest from Fort Douatmont, on the east bank of the Meuse, is announced by the German War Office to-day.

Attacks of a local character were undertaken by the British this morning against the positions recently taken the most moutheast of Ypres. The fighting here is still in progress.

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TIFFANY & CO.

CHINA AND GLASSWARE LATEST IMPORTATIONS

Borrowing of \$50,000,000 Allows Gain if Exchange Advances.

INTEREST 6 1-2 PER CENT.

RUSSIAN LOAN OPENS the event that the American bankers elect to exercise the option the purchase price of the bonds may be paid with the ruble credit established in

Russia.

Attention was called to the fact that the advantage of the plan is in the prospect of exchange profits during the life of the loan. Ruble exchange now life of the loan. Ruble exchange now rules in New York at about 31 cents a ruble, whereas the normal is 51 cents. On this basis the present rate in this city is equal to a discount of approximately 39 per cent. The terms of the credit and the option on the five year bonds are said to provide against any loss in exchange, while the opportunity is left open for profit if exchange advances.

If the American banking group at any time wants to make use of its credit it can use three rubles in Russia for \$1 Miss Mary Silliman Says She Was
Treated Kindly.

Miss Mary Silliman, teacher in the American College for Girls in Constanting nople, arrived yesterday on the Holmole, a strived yesterday on the Holmole, a strived yesterday on the Holmole, a strived yesterday of the National City Bank, the Higginson & Co. were made public yesterday of the Says She Was Russia by an American banking group composed of the National City Bank, the grade from the Russian viewpoint may have improved so that the dollar is worth less than three rubles. This car use three rubles in Russia for \$1 the can use three rubles in Russia for \$1 t to the advantage of the American lend

spending several months in a hospital in Germany, where she was held on suspicion of being a spy, and, after clearing herself of the charge, passed more than a month in another hospital ill of brain fever. She said she was treated with great kindness by the Germans and that she had promised not to talk about things she saw in Germany.

Henry Field, son of Marshall Field of Chicago, who has been several months in England and France, said there was more optimism about the outcome of the war in France than in England, and the French believed nine more months would see the defeat of Germany, whose war fortunes had turned with the first repulse

According to the plan the American banking aroup will establish a credit of the profits arising from possible exchange profit in the ruble credit.

In view of the present success of the Russian arms and the great volume of business which has developed between this country and Russia during the war, it is expected that there will be a very heavy demand for participations in the loan syndicate, which the members of the American group are now taking steps to form.

The Russian Government will favor of the Russian Government will pay interest on the credit arranged in this city at the rate of 6½ per cent. per annum, which will be paid in dollars in New York. The ruble credit may be used at any time by the American bankers at the rate of three rubles to \$1.

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Sail Without Them.

BERLIN, via London, June 13 .-- Accordcompletely from German trade expansion.

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